

per capita in the Nation. Douglas Bal-four, president of the Friends of Idaho Public Television, wrote, “With his leadership, IdahoPTV has focused on the wonderful people and places we have in the Gem State, with local productions like Idaho Reports, Outdoor Idaho and Idaho Experience. Ron will be missed, but we will carry on in the tradition he established.”

Ron has also contributed extensively of his time and talents to serving in various roles throughout the community, State, and Nation. This includes his service as vice chair of the NETA board of directors, chair of the Idaho State Broadcasters Association, and member of the board of directors of American Public Television. Ron dedicated more than 25 years to serving on the PBS Children’s Advisory Committee. He also served on the board of directors of the Public Television Programming Association from 2002–2007, serving as president in 2006. From 2002–2012, he served on the board of directors of the Idaho Humanities Council, where he served two terms as chairman. These are just a few examples of his longtime involvement in numerous leadership roles and advisory panels. His dedicated work has earned recognition, including Ron being named the 2005 Programmer of the Year by his colleagues in the PBS system.

Ron, thank you for your commitment to advancing public discussions in Idaho for all these years. Your curiosity, ingenuity, and thoughtful advocacy for Idaho interests have no doubt contributed significantly to broadening understanding, educational opportunities, and public discourse across Idaho and well beyond our State’s borders. We will miss you at the helm of Idaho Public Television but wish you all the best in a well-earned retirement.●

#### RECOGNIZING GLAUBER’S SPORTS

Mr. PAUL. Mr. President, as ranking member of the Senate Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship, each week I recognize an outstanding Kentucky small business that exemplifies the American entrepreneurial spirit. This week, it is my privilege to recognize Glauber’s Sports, a family-owned small business in Carrollton, KY, as the Senate Small Business of the Week.

In 1863, a young shoemaker, John Glauber, established Glauber’s Shoes in Carrollton, KY. Opening up shop on Main Street, the business provided quality footwear to residents of Carroll County and the surrounding area. Over the next 140 years, Glauber’s Shoes became the oldest shoe store in Kentucky and over time expanded its offerings to include hunting supplies. Passing through multiple generations, by the early 2000s, John Glauber, a fourth-generation descendant of the original owner, ran the business alongside his son, Randy, who started helping out around the shop when he was in the sixth grade. After graduating from

high school, Randy worked in the store full time and learned how to run the family business. He later took over when his father retired in 2005. Since taking over, Randy further expanded the store’s hunting inventory and re-named the store to Glauber’s Sports to more accurately reflect its inventory.

Today, Glauber’s Sports is lauded as a one-stop-shop for hunting and shooting sports enthusiasts in Northern Kentucky. Praised for great customer service, Randy has demonstrated a dynamic approach to managing the store, actively responding to local market demands by expanding its stock and ensuring the needs of the community are met. To accommodate its growing inventory, Glauber’s Sports moved locations from Main Street to Fourth Street in 2007. With over 1000 firearms in stock, the store carries a wide range of rifles and shotguns. Additionally, Glauber’s Sports sells other supplies like muzzle loaders, crossbows, outdoor wear, hunting blinds, and scopes. Looking to the future, Randy is committed to continuing the family tradition of serving Carrollton and is training his son, John, to take over the 158-year-old business for decades to come.

A pillar of the community, Glauber’s Sports is actively involved with various local organizations. Over the decades, Glauber’s has supported area schools’ sports teams and events like the Carroll County Fair. Furthermore, Randy regularly volunteers with local shooting sports organizations by coaching the Carroll County High School trap club and 4-H shooting sports clubs and by doing so passes on a lifelong passion for shooting sports, gun safety, and his support for the Second Amendment. Additionally, like many other small businesses, Glauber’s Sports is a member of the National Federation of Independent Businesses and the Chamber of Commerce.

Glauber’s Sports is a remarkable example of the resilience and adaptability of family-owned small businesses. Small businesses, like Glauber’s Sports, form the heart of towns across Kentucky by regularly stepping up to support the needs of their communities. Congratulations to Randy, the Glauber family, and the entire team at Glauber’s Sports. I wish Glauber’s Sports the best of luck and look forward to watching this family-business’ continued growth and success in Kentucky.

#### TRIBUTE TO RENEE LIMOGRE REEVE

● Mr. SULLIVAN. Mr. President, I would like to recognize a critical member of my staff, my former State Director Renée Limogre Reeve, who left my office in June to become the vice president of Government & Community Relations at Cruise Lines International Association, or CLIA, Alaska. It is a big and important job for Alaska, and all of us with Team Sullivan are confident she will do a great job.

As a student at the University of Vermont, Renée explored her passions for government and English. After graduation, Renée left Vermont to start a new journey in Alaska.

Renée’s work in Alaska began over a decade ago as an aide for the State legislature. In Juneau, Renée honed her skills for communication and leadership—fostering a fun and collaborative team environment.

I was honored when Renée joined Team Sullivan in 2018. As the director of my State office, Renée was the boots on the ground where our presence matters most. Enthusiastic and sharp, Renée was the ultimate liaison between Federal, State, and Tribal governments, and, most importantly, the people of Alaska, to whom she was ultimately committed.

Leadership is the measure of how we connect with people, empathize, and make others feel welcome. Renée is an outstanding leader. She has a keen political perspective and unrivaled wit.

Renée’s talents for communication and humor culminated in her famous get-togethers. Renée is known for gathering people from all walks of life around good food, occasional adult prom parties, and always, laughter.

We wish her the best as Renée sets sail on her new adventure.

While she is no longer on my staff, Renée will always be a member of the Sullivan family. Please join me in wishing Renée success in her future. She will be missed.●

#### EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, and were referred as indicated:

EC-1314. A communication from the Deputy Undersecretary for International Affairs, Department of Labor, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled “Progress in Implementing Chapter 16 (Labor) and Capacity-Building under the Dominican Republic-Central America-United States Free Trade Agreement”; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-1315. A communication from the Principal Deputy Inspector General, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled “Part D Plans Generally Include Drugs Commonly Used by Dual Eligibles: 2021”; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-1316. A communication from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to the Convention on Cultural Property Implementation Act, seven (7) reports of the Cultural Property Advisory Committee (CPAC) from 2020 relative to memoranda of understanding and cultural property agreements; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-1317. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to the Convention on Cultural Property Implementation Act, a report relative to action taken to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding Between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Republic of Chile Concerning the Imposition of Import Restrictions on Categories of Archaeological Material of Chile; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-1318. A communication from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Report to Congress: Efforts to Improve the Quality of Health Care for Children and Adults Enrolled in Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP), 2017-2019"; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-1319. A communication from the Director, Administrative Office of the United States Courts, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Uniform Resource Locator (URL) for the report entitled "2020 Report of Statistics Required by the Bankruptcy Abuse Prevention and Consumer Protection Act of 2005"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-1320. A communication from the Director, Administrative Office of the United States Courts, transmitting, pursuant to law, an annual report to Congress concerning intercepted wire, oral, or electronic communications; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-1321. A communication from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Schedule of Fees for Consular Services - Fee Change for Certain Border Crossing Cards" (RIN1400-AF15) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 7, 2021; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-1322. A communication from the Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Department's activities under the Civil Rights of Institutionalized Persons Act during fiscal year 2020; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-1323. A communication from the Associate General Counsel for General Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a vacancy in the position of Assistant Secretary/Director, Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE), Department of Homeland Security, received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 7, 2021; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-1324. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel, Office of Justice Programs, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act Formula Grants Program" (RIN1121-AA83) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 24, 2021; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-1325. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense (Research and Engineering), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Telecommunications Security Program Implementation Plan for Department of Defense 5G Infrastructure"; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1326. A communication from the Acting Assistant Secretary of Defense (Legislative Affairs), transmitting additional legislative proposals relative to the "National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2022"; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1327. A communication from the Acting Assistant Secretary of Defense (Legislative Affairs), transmitting additional legislative proposals relative to the "National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2022"; to the Committee on Armed Services.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. PETERS, from the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, without amendment:

H.R. 772. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 229 Minnetonka Avenue South in Wayzata, Minnesota, as the "Jim Ramstad Post Office".

## EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. CARPER for the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

\*Alejandra Y. Castillo, of New York, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development.

\*Jane Toshiko Nishida, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

By Mr. SCHATZ for the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Bryan Todd Newland, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

\*Nomination was reported with recommendation that it be confirmed subject to the nominee's commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.

(Nominations without an asterisk were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed.)

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. PAUL (for himself, Mr. BRAUN, Mr. COTTON, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. WICKER, and Mrs. BLACKBURN):

S. 2337. A bill to prohibit the imposition of mask mandates on public transportation; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. DAINES:

S. 2338. A bill to improve fairness in political speech, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mrs. FISCHER (for herself, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. GRASSLEY, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. THUNE, Ms. SMITH, Ms. ERNST, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. ROUNDS, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. MORAN, and Mr. MARSHALL):

S. 2339. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act with respect to the ethanol waiver for Reid vapor pressure limitations under such Act; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. MENENDEZ (for himself, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. KENNEDY, and Mrs. FEINSTEIN):

S. 2340. A bill to improve the safety and security of the Federal judiciary; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. RUBIO (for himself, Mr. WARNER, Mr. BURR, Mr. SASSE, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. KING, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. BLUNT, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. BENNET, Mr. RISCH, Mr. CASEY, and Mr. COTTON):

S. 2341. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to expand the treatment of moving expenses to employees and new appointees in the intelligence community who move pursuant to a change in assignment that requires relocation; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mrs. GILLIBRAND (for herself, Mr. GRAHAM, and Mr. DURBIN):

S. 2342. A bill to amend title 9 of the United States Code with respect to arbitration of disputes involving sexual assault and sexual harassment; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. WARNER (for himself, Mr. KAINE, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, and Mr. BROWN):

S. 2343. A bill to require the head of each agency to establish a safety plan relating to COVID-19 for any worksite at which employees or contractors are required to be physically present during the COVID-19 pandemic, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. KAINE (for himself, Mr. CASEY, Ms. HASSAN, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. REED, Mr. WYDEN, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, and Ms. ROSEN):

S. 2344. A bill to award grants for the creation, recruitment, training and education, retention, and advancement of the direct care workforce and to award grants to support family caregivers; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Ms. ERNST:

S. 2345. A bill to require the Director of the National Counterterrorism Center to submit a report on the withdrawal of United States Armed Forces from Afghanistan, and for other purposes; to the Select Committee on Intelligence.

By Mr. COTTON:

S. 2346. A bill to codify Executive Order 13950 (relating to combating race and sex stereotyping), and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. MERKLEY (for himself, Mr. PADILLA, and Mr. MARKEY):

S. 2347. A bill to require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to establish a rebate program to promote the purchase and installation of electric vehicle supply equipment for medium- and heavy-duty vehicles, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina (for himself and Mrs. SHAHEEN):

S. 2348. A bill to establish within the Office of Entrepreneurial Development of the Small Business Administration a training curriculum relating to businesses owned by older individuals, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship.

By Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, and Mr. WHITEHOUSE):

S. 2349. A bill to amend the Truth in Lending Act to establish a national usury rate for consumer credit transactions; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

## SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. SCOTT of Florida (for himself and Mr. RUBIO):

S. Res. 300. A resolution honoring the memories of the victims of the building collapse in Surfside, Florida, on June 24, 2021, and the bravery and selfless service of the individuals who responded to the building collapse; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. BOOZMAN (for himself, Mr. COTTON, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. RUBIO, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, and Mr. COONS):

S. Res. 301. A resolution recognizing the 75th anniversary of the Fulbright Program; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.